

LEGAL NOTICES.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT.
Serial No. 04144.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Carson City, Nevada, July 9, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that Pioche Golden Prince Mining Company, a corporation, by its attorney in fact, F. R. McNamee, whose post office address is Caliente, Nev., has made application for a United States patent for the Golden Eagle Consolidated mining claim consisting of the Golden Eagle, George Washington No. 1, George Washington No. 2, Black Hawk No. 1 and Black Hawk No. 2 lodes, situate in the Ely Mining District, County of Lincoln, State of Nevada, being survey No. 3881, and described in the field notes and plat on file in this office with a magnetic variation of 16 deg. 20 min. East as follows:

Commencing at Cor. No. 1 of Golden Eagle lode whence the corner common to Sec's 20, 21, 28 and 29, T. 1 N. R. 67 E., M. D. B. & M. bears N. 17 deg. 03 min. W. 4615.4 ft.; thence N. 64 deg. 58 min. E. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 25 deg. 49 min. E. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 3; thence S. 64 deg. 58 min. W. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 25 deg. 49 min. W. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning.

GEO. WASHINGTON NO. 1 LODE.
Beginning at Cor. No. 1 whence the Cor. common to Sec's 20, 21, 28 and 29, T. 1 N. R. 67 E., M. D. B. & M. bears N. 17 deg. 18 min. W. 4726.1 ft.; thence S. 25 deg. 49 min. E. 1388 ft. to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 64 deg. 58 min. W. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 3; thence N. 25 deg. 49 min. W. 1388 ft. to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 64 deg. 58 min. E. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning.

GEO. WASHINGTON NO. 2 LODE.
Beginning at Cor. No. 1 whence the Cor. common to Sec's 20, 21, 28 and 29, T. 1 N. R. 67 E., M. D. B. & M. bears N. 12 deg. 12 min. W. 3349.7 ft.; thence N. 64 deg. 58 min. E. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 5 deg. 54 min. E. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 3; thence S. 64 deg. 58 min. W. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 5 deg. 54 min. W. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning.

BLACK HAWK NO. 1 LODE.
Beginning at Cor. No. 1 whence the Cor. common to Sec's 20, 21, 28 and 29, T. 1 N. R. 67 E., M. D. B. & M. bears N. 23 deg. 06 min. W. 3155.3 ft.; thence N. 61 deg. 58 min. E. 634.9 ft. to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 5 deg. 54 min. E. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 3; thence S. 64 deg. 58 min. W. 634.9 ft. to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 5 deg. 54 min. W. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning.

BLACK HAWK NO. 2 LODE.
Beginning at Cor. No. 1 whence the Cor. common to Sec's 20, 21, 28 and 29, T. 1 N. R. 67 E., M. D. B. & M. bears N. 19 deg. 51 min. W. 1689.5 ft.; thence N. 64 deg. 58 min. E. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 18 deg. 55 min. E. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 3; thence S. 64 deg. 58 min. W. 600 ft. to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 18 deg. 55 min. W. 1500 ft. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning, and located in the N. W. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 Sec. 28, and N. W. 1/4 Sec. 33, T. 1 N. R. 67 E., M. D. B. & M., containing an area of 100.443 acres, exclusive of all conflicts.

The adjoining and conflicting claims as shown by the plat of survey are Survey No. 5536 Rosey and Soft Snap lodes.

I direct that this notice be published in the Pioche Record, a weekly newspaper, published at Pioche, Nev., for a period of sixty days.

LOUIS J. COHN,
Register.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Fourth Judicial District Court in and for Lincoln County.

In the matter of the Estate of Richard M. Johnson, deceased. Notice to creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1908, duly appointed and qualified by the Fourth Judicial District court of the State of Nevada, in and for Lincoln County, as the executor of the last will and testament of Richard M. Johnson, late of the city and county of Salt Lake, deceased.

All creditors having claims against said estate are required to file the same, with the proper vouchers and statutory affidavits attached, with the clerk of said court, within three months of the first publication of this notice.

HORACE M. JOHNSON,
Executor.

Dated July 10, 1909. J. M. Breeze,
Attorney for Executor.
First pub. July 10—Last Aug. 14.

Notice to Mine Owners.

Notice is hereby given, that the tax on proceeds of mines, for the quarter ending June 30, A. D. 1909, is now due and payable at the office of the County Assessor at Pioche, Lincoln County, Nevada. A strict compliance of the law is requested.

JOHN F. ROEDER,
County Assessor in and for Lincoln County, State of Nevada.

A Congress
On Irrigation.

Big Conference at Spokane to Deal With
the Subject of Conservation of Natural
Resources—Program of Meeting
and Ideas of Organization.



ARTHUR HOOKER.

NO subject pertaining to the progress of the country is attracting greater attention at the present time than that of conservation of the natural resources of the nation. For this reason the seven-teenth national irrigation congress at Spokane, Wash., Aug. 9 to 14, constitutes one of the most important conferences of the year on subjects pertaining to the material and moral advancement of the people of the country as a whole. While the reclamation of arid and swamp lands will have chief place on the program, there will also be addresses on forestry, deep waterways, good roads and home building.

The economic value of irrigation, whether by national project or private enterprise, cannot be measured in dollars and cents. It is no longer an experiment in the west; it is a confirmed success from commercial and financial viewpoints, and economists declare that the development of the country will provide a safety valve against the impending dangers of congestion in the cities of the east. Five to ten acres of land in the irrigated districts will provide shelter, food and raiment for a family and enable its owner to put aside from \$500 to \$1,000 a year. Scores of hundreds of men and women, many of whom came from the crowded cities in the east and south, are doing that much or better in the west today.

George E. Barstow of Texas will preside at the congress in Spokane, and it is expected there will be from 1,500 to 5,000 accredited delegates from various parts of the United States and representatives from Canada, Europe, the South American republics, China and Japan. Officials of the reclamation and forestry services and other branches of the department of agriculture, bankers, scientists, railroad presidents and irrigationists will take part in the deliberations.

The national officers of the congress this year are: President, George E. Barstow, Barstow, Tex.; first vice president, H. D. Loveland, San Francisco; second vice president, R. E. Twitchell, Las Vegas, N. M.; third vice president, I. D. O'Donnell, Billings, Mont.; secretary, B. A. Fowler, Phoenix, Ariz.; assistant secretary, F. H. Griswold, Chicago; foreign secretary, Rev. Dr. E. McQueen Gray, Carlsbad, N. M.; secretary board of control, Arthur Hooker, Spokane, Wash. Every state and territory in the Union has a vice president.

Chief executives of twenty-five states and territories will be present on governors' day, Aug. 13, when Governor Hay of Washington will preside at a joint meeting of the governors and congressional representatives of the western states to discuss ways and means of obtaining national and state



PRESIDENT GEORGE E. BARSTOW AND OFFICIAL EMBLEM OF CONGRESS.

legislation to encourage the development of the country and conserve its natural resources.

There will be elaborate electrical illuminations in the principal thoroughfares, where stacked crops of the districts tributary to Spokane will be displayed in massed exhibits. These open air demonstrations have been arranged:

Aug. 10.—Afternoon—Parade of progress, showing the transformation of the north-west from savagery to civilization by a series of district floats and mounted men and marchers.

Aug. 11.—Evening—Illuminated parade of progress, representing various periods in the northwest from 1905 to 1909. Indians from four reservations and districts in the Pacific and western states will join in the demonstration.

Aug. 12.—Afternoon—Parade and counter-march of the industrial and irrigation army, with 10,000 uniformed men in line. The official emblem of the congress, showing Science bidding the Desert drink, will be featured on an elaborate float.

ROBERT A. TAFT.

The President's Oldest Son and His Vacation Doings.

President Taft's oldest son, Robert Alphonso Taft, is sustaining the family dignity at Yale, having won many honors there, including election to Skull and Bones, the famous secret society to which his father belonged while in college and which his grandfather, the Secretary Taft of Grant's cabinet, helped to establish many



ROBERT ALPHONSO TAFT.

years ago. Robert Taft will graduate in the class of 1910 if all goes well. Meantime he is enjoying a well earned vacation and recently attended the Champlain tercentenary celebration with his sister Helen, being entertained by friends of his father at some of the charming resorts on this famous lake. Young Mr. Taft approves his father's choice of Beverly as a summer home and expects to pass considerable of his vacation there. Beverly likes him as well as the rest of the presidential family. Beverly, indeed, is proud of the importance it has recently assumed. As the popular man in front of the board of trade building, where offices for the president have been fitted up, put it:

"These are changed days in Beverly, mister. Why, they even wanted to abolish the ringin' of the curfew bell—they're gettin' so blamed citted—hush—look quick—that fellow over there—he's the man who had charge of unloading the Taft cow from the train. If you go down Cabot street two blocks an' turn to the left you'll mebbe see one of the men who led her out to the Taft cottage.

"What was I sayin'—oh, yes—they want to abolish the curfew. Way back in 1664 Captain Thomas Lethrop brought the first bell here to Beverly, and ever since that day the curfew has been rung at 9 o'clock each night. Wouldn't seem like Beverly no more to the old folks if—

"Over there—he goes. That's the janitor of the First Baptist church—the one who said he'd be gosh dinged if he'd git up at 5 o'clock on the mornin' of the Fourth to ring the bell, no matter who asked it. You'd a' thought he'd a' behaved what with Mr. Taft in town an' all.

"Right up in that room he'll smell my hot buttered corn while decidin' big affairs of state. Oh, old Beverly surely is takin' on airs."

Underground Reparto.

An American traveling in the underground of London between Hamersmith and Islington heard the guard call: "Amersmith! Amersmith!"

Whereupon, being of a humorous turn of mind, he said to the guard:

"You have dropped something."

"What?" said the guard.

"An h," answered the American.

"Oh, never mind," retorted the guard. "I'll pick it up at Hisington."

—London Tit-Bits.

I see by the papers that a feller down to York has got a motor boat hat kin make 70 knots an hour. Huh! that's nothing. Hod Peters had a boat out on Duck lake last year that made 70 knots a minute. The heaving line got tangled up in the propeller wheel—Judge.

FINEST OF ALL CAPITALS.

America's Seat of National Government is Supreme.

Men still in good health and full vigor remember Washington as a national capital which had to be explained and apologized for to strangers who knew the great cities of the world. It was a raw, straggling town, with few creditable buildings except half a dozen belonging to the federal government. The streets were paved badly or not at all. Unkept open spaces were common, and in the best section of the city there was an effect of unfinished plans and good intentions gone to wreck.

Then it was necessary to tell Europeans that the American capital was young; that the states gave most of their money and their pride to their own seats of government; that the country was rather a confederation than a closely knit unit, and that it was urged by many influential persons that the capital ought to be established farther inland and nearer the future center of population. Washington was not even sure of retaining its only claim to the attention of the world.

All this is changed. The multitudes that greeted the new president and enjoyed a magnificent demonstration of national pride and governmental pomp saw one of the finest cities of the earth. They admired some of the noblest structures ever reared for public use. They looked upon a capital worthy of any nation, however old and rich and famous.

It is true that Washington still lacks many improvements. There are crudities to be removed and great plans to be finished. But Washington needs no apologies now. There is no longer any talk of moving the nation's seat of government. The country is too proud of its capital. It understands too well that the beautiful Washington of today is only a hint of the splendid city that is to be.

Dead Dog.

"What's become of your dog? I haven't seen him for a long time."

"You notice what a cold I've got?"

"Yes, but what's that?"

"Well, a lot of people told me things to do for my cold, and I was wise enough to try 'em on him first."

IF YOU WOULD KEEP YOUNG.

It is every woman's duty to keep young looking as long as possible, but unfortunately she does not always know the best way to live up to that duty.

Avoid worry, hurry and getting flustered.

Learn self-control. Anger is a rapid wrinkle-bringer.

Be temperate. Moderation does not only refer to the stomach. Overdoing in any way makes for premature age.

Love the open air. Fresh air is not a fad, it is a necessity if one would keep young.

WISDOM OF THE ELDERS.

Belshazzar had just invented the hanging gardens. "My solution of rural uplift!" he cried proudly.

Samson's wife had just cut his hair. "Alas!" he moaned, "I should have had it done by a government accountant."

Goldsmith had just written "The Deserted Village." "Got the idea from the town of an ex-president," he explained.

George III. was wondering how the apple got in the dumpling. "That's nothing," rejoined a suffragette. "How do the peaches get in jail?"

HER BROTHER SAYS:

That Even went with Adam out of the Garden to rub it in on what a paradise any place would be—alone.

That preachers have the curiosity of Eve's daughters to thank for the feminine part of their congregations.

That when women get the suffrage every mother's son ought to slump down and pray, "God, save the state!"

That Cupid would have cried for quarter long ago if he weren't afraid of the girls who have confiscated his arrows.

That a girl will sell her conscience for a compliment—a man's only top-ple in a tobaccoless country before a

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